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37 CFR 41.31 NOTICE OF APPEAL (1 page in duplicate)

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FOR: Method for Using Software Products that are Offered Via a Network

37 CFR 41.31 NOTICE OF APPEAL

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
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SIR:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the office action dated 12 October 2004.

The items checked below are appropriate:

- A Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 was filed for months.
- A timely response to the final rejection was filed on , as provided in 841 O.G. 1411.
- An Appeal Brief is being filed herewith.
- A Petition for Extension of Time for filing the Notice of Appeal is attached.
- Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.
 - 37 C.F.R. § 41.20(b)(1) Notice of Appeal fee of \$500.00 is enclosed.
 - 37 C.F.R. § 41.20(b)(2) Appeal Brief fee of \$500.00 is enclosed.
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Respectfully Submitted,

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